APPROVED BY THE ORANGE COUNTY
COMMISSION AT THEIR MEETING
MAY 23 1988

NO. 88-LEG-02

A RESOLUTION URGING THAT THE ORANGE COUNTY LEGISLATIVE DELEGATION SUPPORT MASS TRANSPORTATION PUBLIC ACCESS TO THE MAGNETIC LEVITATION DEMONSTRATION PROJECT

WHEREAS, House Bill 1202 and Senate Bill 980 provide for a Magnetic Levitation Demonstration Project; and

WHEREAS, this project could be the catalyst for the long-needed mass transportation system in Orange County and Central Florida; and

WHEREAS, the key to this project having a public purpose which justifies the special one-stop permitting process and eminent domain powers included in the legislation is full public access to all stations whether on public or private property; and

WHEREAS, full public access must clearly include all forms of ground transportation including the various forms of mass transportation such as light rail and mono-rail trains; and

WHEREAS, the project will utilize corridors across Orange County which might be used for other mass transportation projects and will consume revenues which might help support a public mass transportation serving other areas of the community in the future;

NOW, THEREFORE, be it resolved by the Orange County Commission of Orange County, Florida

SECTION 1. That House Bill 1202, Senate Bill 890, and any other legislation either general or local include specific requirements that all stations have full and complete access to the public, including all forms of mass transportation.

SECTION 2. That legislative intent includes specific language setting forth that a transportation system serving the general community is considered to be a vital criteria in evaluating any proposal for construction of a magnetic levitation project.

SECTION 3. That the County Commission have specific authority to approve or disapprove any applications for such a project based on a mass transportation criteria and the interconnect of this system with any other public or private transportation systems.

SECTION 4. That if the proposed legislation does not meet these requirements, the Local Delegation and the State Legislature postpone any action until the next regular session, in order for the legislation to be fully reviewed and studied prior to the 1989 session.

Adopted this 23rd day of May, 1988.

ORANGE COUNTY, FLORIDA

Tom Dorman

TOM DORMAN, CHAIRMAN
ORANGE COUNTY COMMISSION

ATTEST: THOMAS H. LOCKER, Clerk
to the Orange County Commission

By: _____
Asst. DEPUTY CLERK